Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 03 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Friday 04 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Thursday 03 Sep 2020 at 02:05 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Quite high next few days. Low for details on Sunday and Monday.

Headline for Thursday 03 Sep 2020: A fairly cloudy day but bright or sunny intervals and a few showers. Cold and windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 03 Sep 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
60%	40%	70%	40%	40%	70%

Forecast for Thursday 03 Sep 2020

Weather: A brighter day with some sunny interludes but still quite cloudy. A few showers which could be briefly on the heavy side.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% in the morning with higher tops shrouded in cloud then improving 75% in the afternoon with higher and somewhat more broken bases.

Visibility: Mostly good away from cloud but some temporary deteriorations in showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	38/45 SW	30/40 SW	38/51 SW	41/55 SW	40/54 SW	44/60 SW	43/58 SW
900	36/44 SW	29/39 SW	37/50 SW	39/54 SW	38/52 SW	42/58 SW	42/57 SW
600	26/33 SW	23/33 SW	29/42 SW	29/43 SW	28/42 SW	30/46 SW	30/46 SW
300	7/33 SW	9/31 SW	12/41 SW	13/43 SW	11/39 SW	13/45 SW	14/44 SW
Glen	14/30 SW	15/30 SW	21/39 SW	17/34 SW	17/35 SW	18/38 SW	17/36 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	8/2	7/2	6/0	5/-1	5/-2	5/-2	5/-2
900	9/3	8/3	7/1	6/0	6/-1	6/-1	6/-1
600	11/7	10/6	10/5	9/4	8/4	8/3	8/3
300	12/11	13/11	13/11	12/9	11/9	11/8	11/8
Glen	14/12	15/13	16/12	15/12	14/11	13/10	13/10
Freezing Level*	2400m	2100m	1700m	1600m	1600m	1800m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Increasingly chilly feel as the day goes on.

Forecast for Friday 04 Sep 2020
Weather: Bright or sunny intervals and occasional to frequent showers, some on the heavy side.

Maximum wind: West 35 gusts 55mph and a significant chill

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80%. Some patchy hill fog on the Munro tops mainly at first and in any showers.

Visibility: Generally very good by day away from the cloud, some brief deteriorations in showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** 9 Celsius rising to 15 Celsius
At 800m: 7 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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